Policy: Municipal Signage for Private Roads Policy

Date Originally Approved: May 26, 2011

Motion: "That Council approves the adoption of the Municipal Signage for Private Roads Policy as attached to the Action Item dated May 17, 2011." Motion carried.

## Municipality of the County of Colchester Municipal Signage for Private Roads Policy

## **PURPOSE:**

The Municipality of the County of Colchester has created this Policy regarding Municipal Signage for Private Roads to provide clear and consistent signage to assist with the identification of Private Roads. The purpose of this Policy is primarily to aid emergency first responders.

## **DEFINITIONS:**

**Municipality -** means the Municipality of the County of Colchester.

**Private Road -** means a road that is created under the Municipal Subdivision By-law and not owned or maintained by the Municipality or Nova Scotia Department of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal.

**Public Road -** means a road that is owned and maintained by either the Municipality or Nova Scotia Department of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal.

## **POLICY:**

- 1. The Municipality will provide and install a sign to identify a Private Road, where the Private Road intersects a Public Road, provided the Private Road has a civic number issued by the Municipality for a structure located along said road.
- 2. Private Roads that do not intersect a Public Road will not be signed under this program.
- 3. A standardized sign will be issued and installed by the Municipality, for each qualifying location, regardless of the existing signage. Sign standards shall be determined by the Municipality.
- 4. Damaged or lost signs will be replaced when reported to or observed by the Municipality during the performance of other duties. Damaged or lost signs can be reported to the Property Information Office of the Municipality.

Clerk's Annotation For Official Policy Book
Date of Notice to Council Members of Intent to Consider (7 days minimum): May 17, 2011 Date of Passage of Current Policy: May 26, 2011  I certify that this Policy was adopted by Council as indicated above.  Tune 2/2011  Nunicipal Clerk  Date